

**SELECTED SOCIAL CHARACTERISTICS**  
**2016-2020 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates**

Area Name : Essex CDP, Maryland

Subject	FIPS Code : 2426600			
	Estimate	Estimate Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
<b>HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE</b>				
<b>Total households</b>	14,863	+/- 597	100.0%	+/- (X)
<b>Married-couple household</b>	5,374	+/- 487	36.2%	+/- 2.9
With children of the householder under 18 years	(X)	+/- (X)	(X)%	+/- (X)
<b>Cohabiting couple household</b>	1,583	+/- 307	10.7%	+/- 2.1
With children of the householder under 18 years	(X)	+/- (X)	(X)%	+/- (X)
<b>Male householder, no spouse/partner present</b>	2,744	+/- 384	18.5%	+/- 2.5
With children of the householder under 18 years	(X)	+/- (X)	(X)%	+/- (X)
Householder living alone	1,982	+/- 346	13.3%	+/- 2.3
65 years and over	636	+/- 178	4.3%	+/- 1.2
<b>Female householder, no spouse/partner present</b>	5,162	+/- 532	34.7%	+/- 3.2
With children of the householder under 18 years	(X)	+/- (X)	(X)%	+/- (X)
Householder living alone	2,723	+/- 386	18.3%	+/- 2.5
65 years and over	1,270	+/- 219	8.5%	+/- 1.5
Households with one or more people under 18 years	4,781	+/- 456	32.2%	+/- 2.8
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	4,542	+/- 355	30.6%	+/- 2.3
Average household size	2.63	+/- 0.09	(X)%	+/- (X)
Average family size	3.31	+/- 0.1	(X)%	+/- (X)
<b>RELATIONSHIP</b>				
<b>Population in households</b>	39,034	+/- 2002	100.0%	+/- (X)
Householder	14,863	+/- 597	38.1%	+/- 1.3
Spouse	5,486	+/- 515	14.1%	+/- 1.2
Unmarried partner	1,676	+/- 352	4.3%	+/- 0.9
Child	11,645	+/- 1019	29.8%	+/- 1.9
Other relatives	4,070	+/- 777	10.4%	+/- 1.8
Other nonrelatives	1,294	+/- 413	3.3%	+/- 1
<b>MARITAL STATUS</b>				
<b>Males 15 years and over</b>	14,404	+/- 833	100.0%	+/- (X)
Never married	5,354	+/- 492	37.2%	+/- 2.5
Now married, except separated	6,288	+/- 550	43.7%	+/- 3
Separated	412	+/- 167	2.9%	+/- 1.2
Widowed	628	+/- 125	4.4%	+/- 0.9
Divorced	1,722	+/- 350	12%	+/- 2.3
<b>Females 15 years and over</b>	17,112	+/- 1108	100.0%	+/- (X)
Never married	5,809	+/- 618	33.9%	+/- 2.6
Now married, except separated	6,166	+/- 598	36%	+/- 2.6
Separated	500	+/- 189	2.9%	+/- 1.1
Widowed	2,006	+/- 367	11.7%	+/- 1.9
Divorced	2,631	+/- 369	15.4%	+/- 2.2
<b>FERTILITY</b>				
<b>Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months</b>	367	+/- 134	100.0%	+/- (X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	140	+/- 80	38.1%	+/- 18.9
Per 1,000 unmarried women	23	+/- 13	(X)%	+/- (X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	39	+/- 14	(X)%	+/- (X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	0	+/- 30	(X)%	+/- (X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	55	+/- 24	(X)%	+/- (X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	33	+/- 24	(X)%	+/- (X)

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<b>GRANDPARENTS</b>				
<b>Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years</b>	1,310	+/- 248	100.0%	+/- (X)
Grandparents responsible for grandchildren	542	+/- 153	41.4%	+/- 10.2
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	81	+/- 56	6.2%	+/- 4.2
1 or 2 years	74	+/- 67	5.6%	+/- 5.5
3 or 4 years	86	+/- 78	6.6%	+/- 5.9
5 or more years	301	+/- 111	23%	+/- 7.3
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	542	+/- 153	(X)	+/- (X)
Who are female	345	+/- 99	63.7%	+/- 8.9
Who are married	325	+/- 123	60%	+/- 14.4
<b>SCHOOL ENROLLMENT</b>				
<b>Population 3 years and over enrolled in school</b>	9,183	+/- 1044	100.0%	+/- (X)
Nursery school, preschool	567	+/- 240	6.2%	+/- 2.5
Kindergarten	284	+/- 119	3.1%	+/- 1.3
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	4,493	+/- 764	48.9%	+/- 4.8
High school (grades 9-12)	1,759	+/- 357	19.2%	+/- 3.6
College or graduate school	2,080	+/- 421	22.7%	+/- 4.2
<b>EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT</b>				
<b>Population 25 years and over</b>	27,108	+/- 1467	100.0%	+/- (X)
Less than 9th grade	1,628	+/- 358	6%	+/- 1.3
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	2,432	+/- 363	9%	+/- 1.3
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	10,382	+/- 1024	38.3%	+/- 2.6
Some college, no degree	6,101	+/- 554	22.5%	+/- 2
Associate's degree	2,228	+/- 404	8.2%	+/- 1.4
Bachelor's degree	3,031	+/- 488	11.2%	+/- 1.7
Graduate or professional degree	1,306	+/- 294	4.8%	+/- 1.1
<b>High school graduate or higher</b>	23,048	+/- 1445	85%	+/- 2
<b>Bachelor's degree or higher</b>	4,337	+/- 601	16%	+/- 2.1
<b>VETERAN STATUS</b>				
<b>Civilian population 18 years and over</b>	30,038	+/- 1555	100.0%	+/- (X)
Civilian veterans	2,350	+/- 342	7.8%	+/- 1
<b>DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION</b>				
<b>Total Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population</b>	39,085	+/- 1992	100.0%	+/- (X)
With a disability	5,586	+/- 663	14.3%	+/- 1.6
<b>Under 18 years</b>	9,242	+/- 1034	100.0%	+/- (X)
With a disability	647	+/- 229	7%	+/- 2.4
<b>18 to 64 years</b>	24,098	+/- 1460	100.0%	+/- (X)
With a disability	2,875	+/- 437	11.9%	+/- 1.8
<b>65 years and over</b>	5,745	+/- 416	100.0%	+/- (X)
With a disability	2,064	+/- 336	35.9%	+/- 4.9
<b>RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO</b>				
<b>Population 1 year and over</b>	39,018	+/- 2005	100.0%	+/- (X)
<b>Same house</b>	34,475	+/- 2028	88.4%	+/- 2.6
<b>Different house (in the U.S. or abroad)</b>	4,543	+/- 1056	11.6%	+/- 2.6
<b>Different house in the U.S.</b>	4,543	+/- 1056	11.6%	+/- 2.6
Same county	2,739	+/- 894	7%	+/- 2.2
Different county	1,804	+/- 586	4.6%	+/- 1.5

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Same state	1,370	+/- 427	3.5%	+/- 1.1
Different state	434	+/- 408	1.1%	+/- 1
<b>Abroad</b>	0	+/- 27	0%	+/- 0.1
<b>PLACE OF BIRTH</b>				
<b>Total population</b>	39,307	+/- 2016	100.0%	+/- (X)
<b>Native</b>	36,150	+/- 1811	92%	+/- 1.6
<b>Born in United States</b>	35,928	+/- 1811	91.4%	+/- 1.6
State of residence	29,421	+/- 1630	74.8%	+/- 2.4
Different state	6,507	+/- 877	16.6%	+/- 2
<b>Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)</b>	222	+/- 127	0.6%	+/- 0.3
<b>Foreign born</b>	3,157	+/- 681	8%	+/- 1.6
<b>U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS</b>				
<b>Foreign-born population</b>	3,157	+/- 681	100.0%	+/- (X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	1,710	+/- 467	54.2%	+/- 9
Not a U.S. citizen	1,447	+/- 422	45.8%	+/- 9
<b>YEAR OF ENTRY</b>				
<b>Population born outside the United States</b>	3,379	+/- 704	100.0%	+/- (X)
Native	222	+/- 127	100.0%	+/- (X)
Entered 2010 or later	33	+/- 55	14.9%	+/- 22.6
Entered before 2010	189	+/- 113	85.1%	+/- 22.6
Foreign born	3,157	+/- 681	100.0%	+/- (X)
Entered 2010 or later	667	+/- 254	21.1%	+/- 6.8
Entered before 2010	2,490	+/- 584	78.9%	+/- 6.8
<b>WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN</b>				
<b>Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea</b>	3,157	+/- 681	100.0%	+/- (X)
Europe	243	+/- 176	7.7%	+/- 5
Asia	436	+/- 228	13.8%	+/- 6.7
Africa	1,245	+/- 388	39.4%	+/- 8.6
Oceania	0	+/- 27	0%	+/- 1.2
Latin America	1,217	+/- 396	38.5%	+/- 9.9
Northern America	16	+/- 21	0.5%	+/- 0.7
<b>LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME</b>				
<b>Population 5 years and over</b>	36,637	+/- 1937	100.0%	+/- (X)
<b>English only</b>	32,743	+/- 1805	89.4%	+/- 2.1
Language other than English	3,894	+/- 834	10.6%	+/- 2.1
Speak English less than "very well"	892	+/- 319	2.4%	+/- 0.8
<b>Spanish</b>	1,657	+/- 515	4.5%	+/- 1.4
Speak English less than "very well"	409	+/- 167	1.1%	+/- 0.5
<b>Other Indo-European languages</b>	653	+/- 317	1.8%	+/- 0.9
Speak English less than "very well"	268	+/- 220	0.7%	+/- 0.6
<b>Asian and Pacific Islander languages</b>	280	+/- 128	0.8%	+/- 0.3
Speak English less than "very well"	85	+/- 75	0.2%	+/- 0.2
<b>Other languages</b>	1,304	+/- 453	3.6%	+/- 1.2
Speak English less than "very well"	130	+/- 118	0.4%	+/- 0.3

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<b>ANCESTRY</b>				
Total population	39,307	+/- 2016	100.0%	+/- (X)
American	1,741	+/- 497	4.4%	+/- 1.3
Arab	185	+/- 191	0.5%	+/- 0.5
Czech	157	+/- 108	0.4%	+/- 0.3
Danish	8	+/- 61	0%	+/- 0.2
Dutch	220	+/- 101	0.6%	+/- 0.3
English	2,172	+/- 386	5.5%	+/- 1
French (except Basque)	766	+/- 285	1.9%	+/- 0.7
French Canadian	21	+/- 25	0.1%	+/- 0.1
German	6,583	+/- 823	16.7%	+/- 2.1
Greek	210	+/- 112	0.5%	+/- 0.3
Hungarian	51	+/- 43	0.1%	+/- 0.1
Irish	5,395	+/- 752	13.7%	+/- 1.9
Italian	2,037	+/- 369	5.2%	+/- 1
Lithuanian	71	+/- 53	0.2%	+/- 0.1
Norwegian	134	+/- 96	0.3%	+/- 0.2
Polish	2,459	+/- 509	6.3%	+/- 1.3
Portuguese	86	+/- 65	0.2%	+/- 0.2
Russian	26	+/- 28	0.1%	+/- 0.1
Scotch-Irish	134	+/- 74	0.3%	+/- 0.2
Scottish	371	+/- 197	0.9%	+/- 0.5
Slovak	55	+/- 53	0.1%	+/- 0.1
Subsaharan African	1,898	+/- 753	4.8%	+/- 1.9
Swedish	21	+/- 23	0.1%	+/- 0.1
Swiss	13	+/- 14	0%	+/- 0.1
Ukrainian	18	+/- 18	0%	+/- 0.1
Welsh	133	+/- 79	0.3%	+/- 0.2
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	422	+/- 359	1.1%	+/- 0.9
<b>COMPUTERS AND INTERNET USE</b>				
Total Households	14,863	597.00	100.0%	+/- (X)
With a computer	13,301	621.00	89.5%	+/- 1.6
With a broadband Internet subscription	12,577	672.00	84.6%	+/- 2.2

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2016-2020 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

**Explanation of Symbols:**

1. An '\*\*\*' entry in the margin of error column indicates that either no sample observations or too few sample observations were available to compute a standard error and thus the margin of error. A statistical test is not appropriate.
2. An '-' entry in the estimate column indicates that either no sample observations or too few sample observations were available to compute an estimate, or a ratio of medians cannot be calculated because one or both of the median estimates falls in the lowest interval or upper interval of an open-ended distribution.
3. An '-' following a median estimate means the median falls in the lowest interval of an open-ended distribution.
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7. An 'N' entry in the estimate and margin of error columns indicates that data for this geographic area cannot be displayed because the number of sample cases is too small.
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<b>EMPLOYMENT STATUS</b>				
<b>Population 16 years and over</b>	30,885	+/- 1594	100.0%	+/- (X)
<b>In labor force</b>	20,902	+/- 1418	67.7%	+/- 2.2
Civilian labor force	20,875	+/- 1415	67.6%	+/- 2.2
Employed	19,430	+/- 1290	62.9%	+/- 2.1
Unemployed	1,445	+/- 388	4.7%	+/- 1.2
Armed Forces	27	+/- 33	0.1%	+/- 0.1
<b>Not in labor force</b>	9,983	+/- 717	32.3%	+/- 2.2
Civilian labor force	20,875	+/- 1415	(X)	+/- (X)
Unemployment Rate	(X)	+/- (X)	6.9%	+/- 1.7
<b>Females 16 years and over</b>	16,748	+/- 1136	(X)	+/- (X)
In labor force	10,931	+/- 985	65.3%	+/- 2.9
Civilian labor force	10,931	+/- 985	65.3%	+/- 2.9
Employed	10,264	+/- 887	61.3%	+/- 2.8
<b>Own children of the householder under 6 years</b>	2,829	+/- 502	(X)	+/- (X)
All parents in family in labor force	2,506	+/- 510	88.6%	+/- 5.6
<b>Own children of the householder 6 to 17 years</b>	5,514	+/- 861	(X)	+/- (X)
All parents in family in labor force	4,262	+/- 791	77.3%	+/- 7.5
<b>COMMUTING TO WORK</b>				
<b>Workers 16 years and over</b>	18,812	+/- 1359	100.0%	+/- (X)
Car, truck, or van -- drove alone	13,870	+/- 1091	73.7%	+/- 2.9
Car, truck, or van -- carpooled	1,878	+/- 404	10%	+/- 1.9
Public transportation (excluding taxicab)	1,619	+/- 457	8.6%	+/- 2.3
Walked	245	+/- 119	1.3%	+/- 0.6
Other means	315	+/- 120	1.7%	+/- 0.6
Worked from home	885	+/- 296	4.7%	+/- 1.5
<b>Mean travel time to work (minutes)</b>	30.9	+/- 1.4	(X)%	+/- (X)
<b>OCCUPATION</b>				
<b>Civilian employed population 16 years and over</b>	19,430	+/- 1290	100.0%	+/- (X)
Management, business, science, and arts occupations	5,696	+/- 563	29.3%	+/- 2.3
Service occupations	3,712	+/- 523	19.1%	+/- 2.4
Sales and office occupations	4,826	+/- 639	24.8%	+/- 2.9
Natural resources, construction, and maintenance occupations	2,152	+/- 440	11.1%	+/- 2.1
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	3,044	+/- 491	15.7%	+/- 2.3
<b>INDUSTRY</b>				
<b>Civilian employed population 16 years and over</b>	19,430	+/- 1290	100.0%	+/- (X)
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	66	+/- 71	0.3%	+/- 0.4
Construction	1,611	+/- 304	8.3%	+/- 1.5
Manufacturing	1,276	+/- 311	6.6%	+/- 1.5
Wholesale trade	432	+/- 150	2.2%	+/- 0.8
Retail trade	2,543	+/- 450	13.1%	+/- 2.1
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	1,395	+/- 378	7.2%	+/- 2
Information	208	+/- 87	1.1%	+/- 0.5
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	1,540	+/- 404	7.9%	+/- 1.9

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Professional, scientific, and management, and administrative and waste management services	1,599	+/- 336	8.2%	+/- 1.7
Educational services, and health care and social assistance	4,566	+/- 589	23.5%	+/- 2.5
Arts, entertainment, and recreation, and accommodation and food services	1,756	+/- 352	9%	+/- 1.7
Other services, except public administration	906	+/- 260	4.7%	+/- 1.3
Public administration	1,532	+/- 338	7.9%	+/- 1.6
<b>CLASS OF WORKER</b>				
<b>Civilian employed population 16 years and over</b>	19,430	+/- 1290	100.0%	+/- (X)
Private wage and salary workers	15,299	+/- 1072	78.7%	+/- 2.3
Government workers	3,331	+/- 598	17.1%	+/- 2.5
Self-employed in own not incorporated business workers	790	+/- 282	4.1%	+/- 1.5
Unpaid family workers	10	+/- 17	0.1%	+/- 0.1
<b>INCOME AND BENEFITS (IN 2020 INFLATION-ADJUSTED DOLLARS)</b>				
<b>Total households</b>	14,863	+/- 597	100.0%	+/- (X)
Less than \$10,000	925	+/- 233	6.2%	+/- 1.6
\$10,000 to \$14,999	482	+/- 169	3.2%	+/- 1.1
\$15,000 to \$24,999	1,519	+/- 314	10.2%	+/- 2.1
\$25,000 to \$34,999	1,536	+/- 351	10.3%	+/- 2.3
\$35,000 to \$49,999	1,845	+/- 440	12.4%	+/- 2.9
\$50,000 to \$74,999	2,817	+/- 356	19%	+/- 2.3
\$75,000 to \$99,999	1,774	+/- 337	11.9%	+/- 2.3
\$100,000 to \$149,999	2,299	+/- 321	15.5%	+/- 2
\$150,000 to \$199,999	1,171	+/- 290	7.9%	+/- 1.9
\$200,000 or more	495	+/- 142	3.3%	+/- 1
<b>Median household income (dollars)</b>	\$59,426	+/- 5077	(X)%	+/- (X)
<b>Mean household income (dollars)</b>	\$75,586	+/- 3904	(X)%	+/- (X)
With earnings	11,677	+/- 606	78.6%	+/- 2.5
Mean earnings (dollars)	\$77,855	+/- 4308	(X)%	+/- (X)
With Social Security	5,019	+/- 411	33.8%	+/- 2.5
Mean Social Security income (dollars)	\$18,927	+/- 1145	(X)%	+/- (X)
With retirement income	3,406	+/- 448	22.9%	+/- 2.9
Mean retirement income (dollars)	\$20,970	+/- 2433	(X)%	+/- (X)
With Supplemental Security Income	1,075	+/- 244	7.2%	+/- 1.7
Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars)	\$11,008	+/- 1263	(X)%	+/- (X)
With cash public assistance income	365	+/- 170	2.5%	+/- 1.1
Mean cash public assistance income (dollars)	\$2,132	+/- 637	(X)%	+/- (X)
With Food Stamp/SNAP benefits in the past 12 months	2,526	+/- 396	17%	+/- 2.6
<b>Families</b>	9,162	+/- 588	100.0%	+/- (X)
Less than \$10,000	409	+/- 161	4.5%	+/- 1.8
\$10,000 to \$14,999	106	+/- 73	1.2%	+/- 0.8
\$15,000 to \$24,999	547	+/- 208	6%	+/- 2.3
\$25,000 to \$34,999	798	+/- 265	8.7%	+/- 2.8
\$35,000 to \$49,999	946	+/- 285	10.3%	+/- 3.1
\$50,000 to \$74,999	1,962	+/- 346	21.4%	+/- 3.5
\$75,000 to \$99,999	1,184	+/- 270	12.9%	+/- 2.9

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\$100,000 to \$149,999	1,849	+/- 285	20.2%	+/- 2.9
\$150,000 to \$199,999	1,000	+/- 286	10.9%	+/- 2.9
\$200,000 or more	361	+/- 113	3.9%	+/- 1.2
Median family income (dollars)	\$70,925	+/- 6323	(X)%	+/- (X)
Mean family income (dollars)	\$89,222	+/- 5250	(X)%	+/- (X)
Per capita income (dollars)	\$29,844	+/- 1364	(X)%	+/- (X)
<b>Nonfamily households</b>	5,701	+/- 509	(X)	+/- (X)
Median nonfamily income (dollars)	\$36,317	+/- 4223	(X)%	+/- (X)
Mean nonfamily income (dollars)	\$45,783	+/- 3592	(X)%	+/- (X)
Median earnings for workers (dollars)	\$37,536	+/- 2242	(X)%	+/- (X)
Median earnings for male full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	\$52,383	+/- 4218	(X)%	+/- (X)
Median earnings for female full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	\$41,173	+/- 1754	(X)%	+/- (X)
<b>HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE</b>				
<b>Civilian noninstitutionalized population</b>	39,085	+/- 1992	39,085	+/- (X)
<b>With health insurance coverage</b>	36,868	+/- 2001	100.0%	+/- 1.3
With private health insurance	23,535	+/- 1710	60.2%	+/- 3
With public coverage	17,779	+/- 1457	45.5%	+/- 3
<b>No health insurance coverage</b>	2,217	+/- 491	5.7%	+/- 1.3
Civilian noninstitutionalized population under 19 years	9,697	+/- 991	9,697	+/- (X)
No health insurance coverage	207	+/- 105	2.1%	+/- 1.1
Civilian noninstitutionalized population 19 to 64 years	23,643	+/- 1436	23,643	+/- (X)
<b>In labor force:</b>	19,165	+/- 1287	100.0%	+/- (X)
<b>Employed:</b>	17,904	+/- 1186	17,904	+/- (X)
<b>With health insurance coverage</b>	16,395	+/- 1201	91.6%	+/- 2.3
With private health insurance	13,878	+/- 1099	77.5%	+/- 2.6
With public coverage	3,102	+/- 531	17.3%	+/- 2.9
<b>No health insurance coverage</b>	1,509	+/- 423	8.4%	+/- 2.3
<b>Unemployed:</b>	1,261	+/- 370	1,261	+/- (X)
<b>With health insurance coverage</b>	1,115	+/- 361	100.0%	+/- 7
With private health insurance	509	+/- 276	40.4%	+/- 15.3
With public coverage	670	+/- 239	53.1%	+/- 14.6
<b>No health insurance coverage</b>	146	+/- 86	11.6%	+/- 7
<b>Not in labor force:</b>	4,478	+/- 624	4,478	+/- (X)
<b>With health insurance coverage</b>	4,123	+/- 623	92.1%	+/- 2.8
With private health insurance	1,653	+/- 372	36.9%	+/- 7.5
With public coverage	2,920	+/- 555	65.2%	+/- 7.1
<b>No health insurance coverage</b>	355	+/- 119	7.9%	+/- 2.8
<b>PERCENTAGE OF FAMILIES AND PEOPLE WHOSE INCOME IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS IS BELOW THE POVERTY LEVEL</b>				
<b>All families</b>	(X)	+/- (X)	9.7%	+/- 3
<b>With related children of the householder under 18 years</b>	(X)	+/- (X)	13.7%	+/- 4.6
With related children of the householder under 5 years only	(X)	+/- (X)	19.2%	+/- 10.9
<b>Married couple families</b>	(X)	+/- (X)	3.5%	+/- 2.3
<b>With related children of the householder under 18 years</b>	(X)	+/- (X)	4.2%	+/- 5.5
With related children of the householder under 5 years only	(X)	+/- (X)	4.9%	+/- 6.9
<b>Families with female householder, no spouse present</b>	(X)	+/- (X)	23.4%	+/- 7.9

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<b>With related children of the householder under 18 years</b>	(X)	+/- (X)	27.9%	+/- 9.6
With related children of the householder under 5 years only	(X)	+/- (X)	46.9%	+/- 25.3
<b>All people</b>	(X)	+/- (X)	12.9%	+/- 2.7
<b>Under 18 years</b>	(X)	+/- (X)	17.4%	+/- 6
Related children of the householder under 18 years	(X)	+/- (X)	16.5%	+/- 6
Related children of the householder under 5 years	(X)	+/- (X)	24.5%	+/- 10.1
Related children of the householder 5 to 17 years	(X)	+/- (X)	13.1%	+/- 6.2
<b>18 years and over</b>	(X)	+/- (X)	11.5%	+/- 2.3
18 to 64 years	(X)	+/- (X)	11.9%	+/- 2.7
65 years and over	(X)	+/- (X)	9.8%	+/- 2.3
<b>People in families</b>	(X)	+/- (X)	9.6%	+/- 2.9
<b>Unrelated individuals 15 years and over</b>	(X)	+/- (X)	24.4%	+/- 4.9

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	Estimate	Estimate Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
<b>HOUSING OCCUPANCY</b>				
<b>Total housing units</b>	16,279	+/- 559	100.0%	+/- (X)
Occupied housing units	14,863	+/- 597	91.3%	+/- 2.1
Vacant housing units	1,416	+/- 343	8.7%	+/- 2.1
<b>Homeowner vacancy rate</b>	1.3	+/- 0.9	(X)%	+/- (X)
<b>Rental vacancy rate</b>	5.2	+/- 2.3	(X)%	+/- (X)
<b>UNITS IN STRUCTURE</b>				
<b>Total housing units</b>	16,279	+/- 559	100.0%	+/- (X)
1-unit, detached	6,420	+/- 340	39.4%	+/- 2
1-unit, attached	5,454	+/- 539	33.5%	+/- 2.6
2 units	124	+/- 60	0.8%	+/- 0.4
3 or 4 units	474	+/- 117	2.9%	+/- 0.7
5 to 9 units	735	+/- 255	4.5%	+/- 1.6
10 to 19 units	2,214	+/- 306	13.6%	+/- 1.9
20 or more units	706	+/- 184	4.3%	+/- 1.1
Mobile home	145	+/- 82	0.9%	+/- 0.5
Boat, RV, van, etc.	7	+/- 11	0%	+/- 0.1
<b>YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT</b>				
<b>Total housing units</b>	16,279	+/- 559	100.0%	+/- (X)
Built 2014 or later	215	+/- 110	1.3%	+/- 0.7
Built 2010 to 2013	183	+/- 94	1.1%	+/- 0.6
Built 2000 to 2009	1,050	+/- 177	6.5%	+/- 1.1
Built 1990 to 1999	1,425	+/- 253	8.8%	+/- 1.6
Built 1980 to 1989	1,723	+/- 294	10.6%	+/- 1.8
Built 1970 to 1979	1,775	+/- 305	10.9%	+/- 1.9
Built 1960 to 1969	2,267	+/- 457	13.9%	+/- 2.7
Built 1950 to 1959	4,597	+/- 480	2.6%	+/- 2.6
Built 1940 to 1949	1,881	+/- 270	11.6%	+/- 1.6
Built 1939 or earlier	1,163	+/- 211	7.1%	+/- 1.3
<b>ROOMS</b>				
<b>Total housing units</b>	16,279	+/- 559	100.0%	+/- (X)
1 room	513	+/- 220	3.2%	+/- 1.3
2 rooms	165	+/- 94	1%	+/- 0.6
3 rooms	1,228	+/- 278	7.5%	+/- 1.7
4 rooms	2,536	+/- 363	15.6%	+/- 2.3
5 rooms	3,159	+/- 395	19.4%	+/- 2.4
6 rooms	3,656	+/- 450	22.5%	+/- 2.5
7 rooms	2,217	+/- 329	13.6%	+/- 1.9
8 rooms	1,369	+/- 263	8.4%	+/- 1.6
9 rooms or more	1,436	+/- 249	8.8%	+/- 1.5
<b>Median rooms</b>	5.6	+/- 0.2	(X)%	+/- (X)
<b>BEDROOMS</b>				
<b>Total housing units</b>	16,279	+/- 559	100.0%	+/- (X)
No bedroom	533	+/- 221	3.3%	+/- 1.3
1 bedroom	1,766	+/- 332	10.8%	+/- 2.1
2 bedrooms	4,870	+/- 441	29.9%	+/- 2.6
3 bedrooms	6,437	+/- 527	39.5%	+/- 2.8

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4 bedrooms	2,308	+/- 353	14.2%	+/- 2
5 or more bedrooms	365	+/- 163	2.2%	+/- 1
<b>HOUSING TENURE</b>				
<b>Occupied housing units</b>	14,863	+/- 597	100.0%	+/- (X)
Owner-occupied	8,573	+/- 520	57.7%	+/- 2.4
Renter-occupied	6,290	+/- 415	42.3%	+/- 2.4
<b>Average household size of owner-occupied unit</b>	2.74	+/- 0.12	(X)%	+/- (X)
<b>Average household size of renter-occupied unit</b>	2.47	+/- 0.14	(X)%	+/- (X)
<b>YEAR HOUSEHOLDER MOVED INTO UNIT</b>				
<b>Occupied housing units</b>	14,863	+/- 597	100.0%	+/- (X)
Moved in 2019 or later	539	+/- 229	3.6%	+/- 1.5
Moved in 2015 to 2018	3,903	+/- 484	26.3%	+/- 3.2
Moved in 2010 to 2014	2,935	+/- 390	19.7%	+/- 2.5
Moved in 2000 to 2009	3,454	+/- 503	23.2%	+/- 3.1
Moved in 1990 to 1999	1,907	+/- 270	12.8%	+/- 1.8
Moved in 1989 and earlier	2,125	+/- 251	14.3%	+/- 1.7
<b>VEHICLES AVAILABLE</b>				
<b>Occupied housing units</b>	14,863	+/- 597	100.0%	+/- (X)
No vehicles available	1,864	+/- 343	12.5%	+/- 2.3
1 vehicle available	5,778	+/- 569	38.9%	+/- 3.4
2 vehicles available	4,654	+/- 493	31.3%	+/- 3.2
3 or more vehicles available	2,567	+/- 285	17.3%	+/- 1.8
<b>HOUSE HEATING FUEL</b>				
<b>Occupied housing units</b>	14,863	+/- 597	100.0%	+/- (X)
Utility gas	7,841	+/- 644	52.8%	+/- 3.5
Bottled, tank, or LP gas	214	+/- 102	1.4%	+/- 0.7
Electricity	5,263	+/- 575	35.4%	+/- 3.5
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc.	1,235	+/- 173	8.3%	+/- 1.3
Coal or coke	0	+/- 27	0%	+/- 0.3
Wood	22	+/- 21	0.1%	+/- 0.1
Solar energy	23	+/- 22	20.0%	+/- 0.1
Other fuel	146	+/- 77	1%	+/- 0.5
No fuel used	119	+/- 57	0.8%	+/- 0.4
<b>SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS</b>				
<b>Occupied housing units</b>	14,863	+/- 597	100.0%	+/- (X)
Lacking complete plumbing facilities	11	+/- 17	0.1%	+/- 0.1
Lacking complete kitchen facilities	20	+/- 17	0.1%	+/- 0.1
No telephone service available	188	+/- 110	1.3%	+/- 0.7
<b>OCCUPANTS PER ROOM</b>				
<b>Occupied housing units</b>	14,863	+/- 597	100.0%	+/- (X)
1.00 or less	14,590	+/- 593	98.2%	+/- 1
1.01 to 1.50	199	+/- 130	1.3%	+/- 0.9
1.51 or more	74	+/- 95	50.0%	+/- 0.6

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<b>VALUE</b>				
<b>Owner-occupied units</b>	8,573	+/- 520	100.0%	+/- (X)
Less than \$50,000	368	+/- 130	4.3%	+/- 1.5
\$50,000 to \$99,999	366	+/- 143	4.3%	+/- 1.6
\$100,000 to \$149,999	1,831	+/- 277	21.4%	+/- 2.9
\$150,000 to \$199,999	1,823	+/- 309	21.3%	+/- 3.3
\$200,000 to \$299,999	2,403	+/- 332	28%	+/- 3.5
\$300,000 to \$499,999	1,449	+/- 213	16.9%	+/- 2.4
\$500,000 to \$999,999	292	+/- 96	3.4%	+/- 1.1
\$1,000,000 or more	41	+/- 28	0.5%	+/- 0.3
<b>Median (dollars)</b>	\$195,700	+/- 11115	(X)%	+/- (X)
<b>MORTGAGE STATUS</b>				
<b>Owner-occupied units</b>	8,573	+/- 520	100.0%	+/- (X)
Housing units with a mortgage	6,263	+/- 512	73.1%	+/- 3
Housing units without a mortgage	2,310	+/- 255	26.9%	+/- 3
<b>SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS (SMOC)</b>				
<b>Housing units with a mortgage</b>	6,263	+/- 512	100.0%	+/- (X)
Less than \$500	110	+/- 75	1.8%	+/- 1.2
\$500 to \$999	1,001	+/- 269	16%	+/- 4.1
\$1,000 to \$1,499	2,173	+/- 354	34.7%	+/- 5
\$1,500 to \$1,999	1,681	+/- 288	26.8%	+/- 3.8
\$2,000 to \$2,499	858	+/- 171	13.7%	+/- 2.6
\$2,500 to \$2,999	201	+/- 68	3.2%	+/- 1.1
\$3,000 or more	239	+/- 84	3.8%	+/- 1.3
<b>Median (dollars)</b>	\$1,468	+/- 58	(X)%	+/- (X)
<b>Housing units without a mortgage</b>	2,310	+/- 255	100.0%	+/- (X)
Less than \$250	138	+/- 75	6%	+/- 3.2
\$250 to \$399	434	+/- 150	18.8%	+/- 5.9
\$400 to \$599	1,051	+/- 215	45.5%	+/- 7.2
\$600 to \$799	471	+/- 110	20.4%	+/- 4.5
\$800 to \$999	137	+/- 60	5.9%	+/- 2.6
\$1,000 or more	79	+/- 38	3.4%	+/- 1.7
<b>Median (dollars)</b>	\$520	+/- 19	(X)%	+/- (X)
<b>SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME (SMOCAPI)</b>				
<b>Housing units with a mortgage (excluding units where SMOCAPI cannot be computed)</b>	6,263	+/- 512	100.0%	+/- (X)
Less than 20.0 percent	3,333	+/- 433	53.2%	+/- 4.3
20.0 to 24.9 percent	717	+/- 160	11.4%	+/- 2.5
25.0 to 29.9 percent	590	+/- 197	9.4%	+/- 3
30.0 to 34.9 percent	318	+/- 111	5.1%	+/- 1.8
35.0 percent or more	1,305	+/- 259	20.8%	+/- 4.1
Not computed	0	+/- 27	(X)%	+/- (X)
<b>Housing unit without a mortgage (excluding units where SMOCAPI cannot be computed)</b>	2,257	+/- 249	100.0%	+/- (X)
Less than 10.0 percent	894	+/- 214	39.6%	+/- 7.5
10.0 to 14.9 percent	439	+/- 123	19.5%	+/- 5.8
15.0 to 19.9 percent	315	+/- 103	14%	+/- 4.5

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	Estimate	Estimate Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
20.0 to 24.9 percent	153	+/- 68	6.8%	+/- 3.1
25.0 to 29.9 percent	167	+/- 107	7.4%	+/- 4.5
30.0 to 34.9 percent	111	+/- 100	4.9%	+/- 4.3
35.0 percent or more	178	+/- 60	7.9%	+/- 2.7
Not computed	53	+/- 39	(X)%	+/- (X)
<b>GROSS RENT</b>				
<b>Occupied units paying rent</b>	6,048	+/- 410	100.0%	+/- (X)
Less than \$500	237	+/- 73	3.9%	+/- 1.2
\$500 to \$999	1,959	+/- 329	32.4%	+/- 5.1
\$1,000 to \$1,499	2,934	+/- 394	48.5%	+/- 5.9
\$1,500 to \$1,999	725	+/- 191	12%	+/- 3.1
\$2,000 to \$2,499	163	+/- 142	2.7%	+/- 2.3
\$2,500 to \$2,999	10	+/- 17	0.2%	+/- 0.3
\$3,000 or more	20	+/- 32	0.3%	+/- 0.5
<b>Median (dollars)</b>	\$1,106	+/- 34	(X)%	+/- (X)
No rent paid	242	+/- 84	(X)%	+/- (X)
<b>GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME (GRAPI)</b>				
<b>Occupied units paying rent (excluding units where GRAPI cannot be computed)</b>	5,964	+/- 415	100.0%	+/- (X)
Less than 15.0 percent	599	+/- 228	10%	+/- 3.6
15.0 to 19.9 percent	735	+/- 243	12.3%	+/- 4.2
20.0 to 24.9 percent	746	+/- 220	12.5%	+/- 3.8
25.0 to 29.9 percent	502	+/- 161	8.4%	+/- 2.7
30.0 to 34.9 percent	209	+/- 112	3.5%	+/- 1.9
35.0 percent or more	3,173	+/- 434	53.2%	+/- 5.4
Not computed	326	+/- 117	(X)%	+/- (X)

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<b>SEX AND AGE</b>				
<b>Total population</b>	39,307	+/- 2016	100.0%	+/- (X)
Male	18,126	+/- 1003	46.1%	+/- 1.6
Female	21,181	+/- 1366	53.9%	+/- 1.6
Sex ratio (males per 100 females)	85.6	+/- 5.5	(X)%	+/- (X)
Under 5 years	2,670	+/- 480	6.8%	+/- 1.2
5 to 9 years	2,771	+/- 552	7%	+/- 1.3
10 to 14 years	2,350	+/- 398	6%	+/- 0.9
15 to 19 years	2,241	+/- 364	5.7%	+/- 0.9
20 to 24 years	2,167	+/- 310	5.5%	+/- 0.8
25 to 34 years	5,905	+/- 802	15%	+/- 1.7
35 to 44 years	4,124	+/- 566	10.5%	+/- 1.4
45 to 54 years	5,370	+/- 670	13.7%	+/- 1.5
55 to 59 years	2,733	+/- 348	7%	+/- 0.9
60 to 64 years	3,069	+/- 477	7.8%	+/- 1.2
65 to 74 years	3,321	+/- 342	8.4%	+/- 0.9
75 to 84 years	1,746	+/- 359	4.4%	+/- 0.9
85 years and over	840	+/- 248	2.1%	+/- 0.6
<b>Median age (years)</b>	38.4	+/- 1.6	(X)	+/- (X)
Under 18 years	9,242	+/- 1034	23.5%	+/- 2.1
16 years and over	30,885	+/- 1594	78.6%	+/- 2.1
18 years and over	30,065	+/- 1562	76.5%	+/- 2.1
21 years and over	28,887	+/- 1490	73.5%	+/- 1.7
62 years and over	7,619	+/- 589	19.4%	+/- 1.5
65 years and over	5,907	+/- 429	15%	+/- 1.1
<b>18 years and over</b>	30,065	+/- 1562	100.0%	+/- (X)
Male	13,757	+/- 760	45.8%	+/- 1.7
Female	16,308	+/- 1104	54.2%	+/- 1.7
Sex ratio (males per 100 females)	84.4	+/- 5.9	(X)	+/- (X)
<b>65 years and over</b>	5,907	+/- 429	100.0%	+/- (X)
Male	2,402	+/- 272	40.7%	+/- 3.9
Female	3,505	+/- 358	59.3%	+/- 3.9
Sex ratio (males per 100 females)	68.5	+/- 11.1	(X)	+/- (X)
<b>RACE</b>				
<b>Total population</b>	39,307	+/- 2016	100.0%	+/- (X)
One race	37,993	+/- 2045	96.7%	+/- 1.1
Two or more races	1,314	+/- 433	3.3%	+/- 1.1
<b>One race</b>	37,993	+/- 2045	96.7%	+/- 1.1
White	23,764	+/- 1400	60.5%	+/- 3.1
Black or African American	12,989	+/- 1615	33%	+/- 3.3

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<b>American Indian and Alaska Native</b>	45	+/- 46	0.1%	+/- 0.1
Cherokee tribal grouping	11	+/- 21	(X)	+/- 0.1
Chippewa tribal grouping	0	+/- 27	0%	+/- 0.1
Navajo tribal grouping	0	+/- 27	0%	+/- 0.1
Sioux tribal grouping	0	+/- 27	0%	+/- 0.1
<b>Asian</b>	580	+/- 295	1.5%	+/- 0.7
Asian Indian	116	+/- 149	0.3%	+/- 0.4
Chinese	87	+/- 67	0.2%	+/- 0.2
Filipino	134	+/- 134	0.3%	+/- 0.3
Japanese	0	+/- 27	0%	+/- 0.1
Korean	10	+/- 22	0%	+/- 0.1
Vietnamese	54	+/- 66	0.1%	+/- 0.2
Other Asian	179	+/- 191	0.5%	+/- 0.5
<b>Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander</b>	0	+/- 27	0%	+/- 0.1
Native Hawaiian	0	+/- 27	0%	+/- 0.1
Chamorro	0	+/- 27	0%	+/- 0.1
Samoan	0	+/- 27	0%	+/- 0.1
Other Pacific Islander	0	+/- 27	0%	+/- 0.1
<b>Some other race</b>	615	+/- 408	1.6%	+/- 1
<b>Two or more races</b>	1,314	+/- 433	3.3%	+/- 1.1
White and Black or African American	393	+/- 203	1%	+/- 0.5
White and American Indian and Alaska Native	155	+/- 84	0.4%	+/- 0.2
White and Asian	74	+/- 78	0.2%	+/- 0.2
Black or African American and American Indian and Alaska Native	9	+/- 14	0%	+/- 0.1
<b>Race alone or in combination with one or more other races</b>				
<b>Total population</b>	39,307	+/- 2016	100.0%	+/- (X)
White	24,849	+/- 1425	63.2%	+/- 3.2
Black or African American	13,812	+/- 1591	35.1%	+/- 3.2
American Indian and Alaska Native	477	+/- 261	1.2%	+/- 0.7
Asian	788	+/- 330	2%	+/- 0.8
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	66	+/- 71	0.2%	+/- 0.2
Some other race	938	+/- 467	2.4%	+/- 1.2
<b>HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE</b>				
<b>Total population</b>	39,307	+/- 2016	100.0%	+/- (X)
<b>Hispanic or Latino (of any race)</b>	1,745	+/- 570	4.4%	+/- 1.4
Mexican	645	+/- 386	1.6%	+/- 1
Puerto Rican	190	+/- 191	0.5%	+/- 0.5
Cuban	54	+/- 66	0.1%	+/- 0.2
Other Hispanic or Latino	856	+/- 490	2.2%	+/- 1.2

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<b>Not Hispanic or Latino</b>	37,562	+/- 1930	95.6%	+/- 1.4
White alone	22,889	+/- 1351	58.2%	+/- 3.1
Black or African American alone	12,844	+/- 1601	32.7%	+/- 3.3
American Indian and Alaska Native alone	45	+/- 46	0.1%	+/- 0.1
Asian alone	564	+/- 290	1.4%	+/- 0.7
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	0	+/- 27	0%	+/- 0.1
Some other race alone	110	+/- 107	0.3%	+/- 0.3
Two or more races	1,110	+/- 378	2.8%	+/- 1
Two races including Some other race	96	+/- 96	0.2%	+/- 0.2
Two races excluding Some other race, and Three or more races	1,014	+/- 358	2.6%	+/- 0.9
<b>Total housing units</b>	16,279	+/- 559	(X)%	+/- (X)
<b>CITIZEN, VOTING AGE POPULATION</b>				
Citizen, 18 and over population	28,670	+/- 1530	100.0%	+/- (X)
Male	13,203	+/- 789	46.1%	+/- 1.9
Female	15,467	+/- 1094	53.9%	+/- 1.9

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